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RE: Hand Count

The Honorable Janice Brewer:

Pinal County did not proceed with the Hand Count due to the lack, on behalf of the Republican Party, of submitting the six names of Party Representatives that had to be received by Elections not later than Friday, November 3, 2006. This matter was submitted to our Counsel who supported the position taken by the Pinal County Elections Department. If additional information is required, I will be more than happy to comply.

Respectfully submitted,

Gilberto Hoyos, Director

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